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PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS OF NEWS.

sign yesterday. The county commissioners will meet as a poard of equalization to-morrow.

Wells, Fargo & Co. swung out a new

District court will convene Tuesday morning with Judge Sluss on the bench. The city treasury was increased yesterday to the extent of \$100, fines imposed on

two gamblers. The plane used at the memorial services Friday, was kindly furnished free of charge by Mr. Jaques, of the Temple of Music.

James Godsey, an old man generally known here and hereabouts, was found dead in his bed at Wellington yesterday.

The Hutchison delegation of business men that were in the city yesterday, made their headquarters at the Douglas Avenue. received in the way of taxes a fittle over \$1500, and it wasn't a very good day for

paying taxes either.

A wagon load of very handsome flowers was received yesterday by C. A. Rose, proprietor of the Wichita greenhouse. They came from Kansas City. the business and as soon as they got

Jones & Jenkins is the name of a new laun- away from the city put spurs to their anidry firm which is worrying the clothes cor- mals and thus escaped. poration of Charlie Sing and Ah Wing on the east end of the avenue.

Mrs. L. F. Sherwood and daughter arrived last night, and will take possession of the new home built this spring by the doctor up near Judge Lauek's.

Although the roads were in a very heavy range 4 west, \$1,500. condition yesterday, there was a large N. A. and Asie A English to Charles number of people in from the country, and Rudd, lot No. 101, in English third addithe merchants did a good business.

A small box nailed up on a shade tree or trouble, us anxiety and your paper from Mulvane, \$40. getting wet or down into the mud.

About 5,000 pounds of express matter was sent out to the neighboring towns last night by the Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express. Some 4,000 pounds was in a liquid shape.

W. F. Walker, assignee, has disposed of lots No. 44, 45 and 46 on Fifth avenue, and the flouring mills thereon located, to L. G. Tillinghast. The consideration was \$5,700. There has been collected in the police

court for fines and costs during the past month just closed \$446.65, which has all been turned over to the city by Judge

lates the weather, are "standing in" with thereon, \$5,700. We are informed by R. R. Coleman that

the track on the Wichita & Western rail- dition to Wichita, 8120. road will be laid as far as Kingman by Monwith track-laying.

tion held its regular meeting last evening. of stock was sold, which was purchased at a premium of nearly 23 per cent. Thomas Trickey spent yesterday in the

city. Mulvane is enjoying an increasing trade, but Thomas delights to get up to Wichita for a half day among his numerous friends whenever opportunity offers. Dr. D. W. Smith expected to leave for

Chicago to-morrow morning, but a telegram that a party of old customers would be over next Monday with a whole week's work for him, let him down "ker flop." H. D. Stowe arrived on last evening's

old an experienced artist and will be found at the Wichita Art Gallery, in Fuller's block, opposite the postoffice, Main street. We are pleased to state that during the week 150 new chairs have been added to M. E. church in the morning at 11 o'clock.

the rink to-day will be comfortably seated. James ii:1. Class meeting at 10 o'clock, W. H. Newton, one of Sedgwick county's leading farmers, whose land lies between the two rivers, has four acres of rve which would be hard to beat for size. He had

a stalk in town yesterday which measured New counters and shelving are being put into the storeroom at 128 Douglas avenue,

for the reception of W. B. Hull's stock of notions and fancy goods. Mr. Hull ex- net. pects to be ready for business in about ten The district court for Harper county held

but a brief session, Judge Sluss returning home early in the week. The mid-summer term for Sedgwick county opens Tuesday, June 2nd, with a docket that two months of steady labor would hardly clear.

By some oversight two of the finest of all the bouquets sent in to the decoration committee were wrongfully credited. Mrs. Charles Luling, of Wichita township, will accept the thanks of the committee especially, and please pardon the oversight.

Our lady readers should not forget the special sale of laces and ribbons at the dry goods store of Mr. Munson, next Monday and Tuesday. Mr. M. carries a very large and choice line of these goods, and those desirous of bargains should read his large advertisement in another column, and govern themselves accordingly.

Mr. Taylor, of the Sedgwick City Panta- Fleshman. graph, accompanied by Mr. Cook of Sedgwick, honored us with a call yesterday. Mr. T. is making of the Pantagraph one of the very liveliest and best papers of Southwestern Kansas, which one paper in a thou- empt from the work of prowling sneak sand does not rival it for typographical thieves. For years our citizens have en-

As soon as the Winch building being class of annoyance. So safely have they erected opposite the postoffice is completed | felt that a large majority of the people nevit will be opened up as a wholesale and re- or thought of locking the doors of their w tail boot and shoe store by Henry Hoffmas- homes at night. But from late occurrences ter, late of Rock Island, Illinois. Mr. H. it seems that Wichita is growing to be is thoroughly familiar with the business. Bearly as bad off as some of her neighbors. and preposes putting in one of the finest About the boldest thing, though which has and most complete stocks in the west.

The Charlotte Thompson theater company left for the north on the early train this morning, after filling a three nights engagement in this city. They go from here the pocket of Wm. Obrist and a watch from direct to Denver. We take pleasure in saving that the company, of which Miss.

and worthy of a liberal reception. When it comes to tastefully arranging we will suggest that a stone pile for vagoods in show windows, Bitting Bros.' grants order from the city council or acting hae few equals. One of their front win- mayor would relieve the city of this class of dows attracted universal attention yester- gentry very quickly. day. In it were displayed nearly 125 different styles and colors of gents' shirts, York, the gentleman who purchased the way from the two for a mickel kind up to the asthetic plug for an X.

The Masonic meeting Friday night, for with fine cattle and horses, arrived in the the purpose of doing third degree work. city yesterday accompanied by a friend, a was largely attended by local members of Mr. Kennedy. Mr. Jewett is making his the lodge, and also by several visiting mem- headquarters at Neiderlander's real estate bers- there being present Grand Comman- office. Mr. Jewett's farm is one of the comder J. Jay Buck, of Emporia; Past Grand ing big things of this valley and it will not Master and State Custodian William Cow- be long before this mammoth stock farm gill, of Fredonia, and Past Master T. M. will have a State wide reputation. Mr. Trickey, of Mulvane. The third de- Jewett took in this country from the Atlangree work was done by the latter. At the tie to the Pacific in his search for a desiraconclusion of business a fine supper of ble stock farm and his conclusion was, choice cold edibles was served in the hall, before he bought a foot of land, that the thus ending the evening's work in a very lower Arkansas valley stood unrivalled, and

A CLOSE CALL.

Yesterday afternoon, while Marshal C. E. Pierce, of Newton, United States Cairns was sitting in front of a Douglas revenue collector for this district, was in avenue store talking with a friend, his at- the city yesterday. tention was attracted to two men coming up street mounted upon two very large and ine horses, which gave every indication of having been hard rode, their jaded appearance and hanging heads leaving no doubt that they had come a long distance without rest. The riders were by no means prepos-

sessing in looks. Their dress and general make-up was sufficient to stamp them as holding no enviable place among their fellow men. Marshal Cairns, who is ever alert and watchful, "sized" them up in an instant, and also the excellent animals they rode, and turning to his triend remarked, "Those horses are stolen, or ought to be"-he at once seeing that they were out of character

with the men who bestrode them. The and gave us a pleasant call. men rode on and soon disappeared from view. A few minutes later, on going to from Silver City, N. M. the postoffice, Cairns received a postal card from Henry Mayer, marshal of Newton. giving a full and exact description of the very horses these men rode, saying they Yesterday Treasurer L. M. Woodcock had been stolen and that a reward of \$100 was offered for men and horses. Cairns lost no time in mounting a horse and trying to find the parties who but so recently had boldly passed through the street. He rode out from the city in every direction, but could get no clue to the parties he sought. They are probably old hands at

LAND SLIDES.

The following real estate transfers were recorded in the register of deed's office Albert Jeter to W. B. Mead, 160 acres in

northeast querter of section 32, town 28. tion to Wichita, \$150.

Joseph N. Trickey to Thos. N. Trickey, post, would save our carrier boy much lot I in Helbert's reservation in the town of

> Benjamin F. Smith to Eli J. Hawkens, south half of section 1, town 28, range 4 west, \$3,200. Thos. E. Preston to Peter Dillon, south-

east quarter of section 26, town 28, range 1 east, \$3,800. J. S. Campbell to W. H. H. Campbell northwest corner of lot 41 in Greiffenstein's

second addition to Wichita, \$1,200. Sedgwick county to J. R. Hopkins, east half of northeast quarter of section 21. town 29, range 2 cast, tax deed.

M. W. Little to B. F. Taylor, 160 acres in section 14, town 29, range 1 west, \$1,440. W. F. Walker, assignee, to L. G. Tilment that Colonel Hartzell, manager of the linghast, lots 44, 45 and 46, Fifth avenue, street railroad, and the fellow that manipu- Mead's addition, with mill and machinery

E. E. Ford to T. G. Cavell, lots Nos, 122 and 124, in block 4 in Orme & Phillip,s ad-Chas. A. Matkin and wife to T. G. day'evening, unless it rains so as to interfere Coveil, lot No. 126 in block 4 in Orm &

Phillip's addition to Wichita, \$60. The Wichita building and loan associa- J. R. Snurly to R. P. Adams, southwest quarter of section 7 and the northwest We are informed that about \$1,000 worth quarter of section 18, township 27 south, of range 3 west, \$3,300.

Arthur Dorsey to Ella Dorsey, southeast quarter of section 1, township 26, range 3

CHURCH NOTES.

Services will be held at the First Baptist church morning and evening by the pastor. W. F. Harper. Sabbath school at 2:30. Rev. D. W. Philipps, of the M. E. church, will sermonize at the rink this morning, the subject of his discourse being " A Cloud of Witnesses." Service as usual in the even-

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will train from Louisville, Kentucky. He is an be administered at the Presbyterian church at 11:00 o'clock, Rev. J. D. Hewitt officiating. There will also be preaching at 8:00 o'ctock in the evening.

The usual services will be had at the A. those already in the rink, therefore Text, Hosea, xi chapter, 7th verse. Theme, all those who attend religious services at backsliding. Evening at 8 o'clock,-Text, Sunday School at 2:30.

Regular services at the Catholic church. CUPID'S CONQUESTS.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Probate Judge Jewett dur-May 2-Morton Estes to Carrie Pagul. May 3-M. L. Sparr to Sarah M. Ross.

May 8-James Orth to Adie M. DeMon May 9-Thomas Mastison to Jane Pal-

May 12-James N. Gilliland to Mary C. Buckmaster. May 12-Ray Oliver to Mattie Lynch.

May 12- - Kreling to - Rhea. May 13-George R. Gooding to Sophia May 15-W. G. Dood to Letitia Cunning-

May 15- - Tuffer to Julia Hedrick. May 15-H. T. Sherman to Salome Bur-

May 19-J. T. Curtis to Martha Sar May 19-Elmore Howl to -

May 19-Charles Weinick to Emma Vau-May 19-William Stuben to Susie Leis. May 20-Nat Simmons to Kate Bailey. May 24-B. H. Hitchcock to Mary Rate-

May 25-James W. Tyree to Sallie

May 28-Jona H. Corley to Eliza Young. BURGLARS AT WORK

Wichita has always been remarkably exjoyed almost a perfect immunity from this yet occurred was the entrance made to the residence of Judge Benjamin Fisher night before last. No one of the inmates has the least idea when the house was entered, but the pocket of his son. Mr. O. J. Cook was Thompson is the star, is a first-class one, dollars. His pants were carried out to the also a sufferer to the tune of six or seven front gate, we believe. In this connection

> large tract of land near Chency, in this county, which is being improved rapidly and very extensively and being stocked he has not changed his opinion.

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. D. Brown, Topeka; J. W. Sloan, Pitts burg, Pa.; Wm. Terrell, Terre Haute, Ind.; were among the arrivals at the Occidental yesterday. The two latter, we understand, are prospecting with a view of investing

capital in Sedgwick county property. R. E. Taylor, H. Raff, G. B. Keff, C Chambers, F. R. Christman, F. Vin ent, R. M. Easley, Chas. Collins, of Hutchinson were in the city yesterday in consultation with Messrs. Hartzell, Hatfield and other prominent men of the Wichita, Western & Denver railroad. We were unable to learn the issue of the conference.

R. M. Easley, editor of the Hutchinso News, was in the city yesterday on business

Wm. Play is a late arrival in the city

Hon. John Kelly, of Attica township, gave us a friendly shake yesterday. He reports everything booming in and around Goddard, and says that the crop prospec has never been better than at present. H. L. Strong, a rising young attorney of the growing town of Chency, gave the E4- 1-tf GLE an agreeable call yesterday

John Armor, of the firm of Arm Stewart, leading stock buyers of Goddard, was in the city yesterday.

C. M. Taylor, of Sedgwick, Kansas, registered yesterday at the Tremont. G. J. Gorman, Pittsburg, Pa. ; J. H. Sul

livan, Rochester, N. Y.; and E. L. South-

ward, Toledo, Ohio, are at the Tremont. J. R. McQuown, the popular Presbyterian preacher, of Mulvane, arrived in the city yesterday morning on his way home from the Presbyterian Assembly recently in session at Saratoga. Mr. McQuown visited his old home in Pennsylvania, but thinks the more one travels the better he

will like Kansas. S. L. Hamilton, editor of the Wellington ian, passed through the city yesterday o his way to Chicago.

Charles T. Boyd, for some months con nested with the business department of the Daily Republican, and D. W. Tilford, both of Emporia, gave us a pleasant call last

Dr. Crise and wife returned last evening from New York, where the doctor went to ty. Dresses cleaned or dyed without ripprocure fixtures for a dental office, which ping, 63 Main street. he will open at once in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery, of Mulvane, cam to Wichita to attend the Charlotte Thompson entertainment last evening.

We understand that the levee on the Little river is quite badly broken, and needs repairs in order to insure the safety of the city in case of a sudden rise in the river. In view of the heavy snows in the Pollock & Pearce's. mountains, and the prospect of greatly swollen streams in this vicinity, would it not be well for the committee on streets to and Peruvian beer-the best in the give this levee their attention. Within the world. jast few days the water in the river has risen about eighteen inches, and no one can tell how soon the river will be swollen beundated unless proper measures for protec-

tion are speedily taken. Jacob Patterson went down to the Terri tory yesterday to look after his cattle.

Remember you can now go to Chi- blue stone. HACKER & JACKSON. cago and return for \$20.85 by the San-ta Fe and Frisco roads. Tickets will be on sale till June 3d, and good for return passage till June 10th. 12-3

The round trip tickets to Dayton union depot by the Santa Fe and fenced, plenty of good water. Cattle Frisco roads, and good till June 30th | pastured at 65 cents per month. for the return passage. 22-3 1 11

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A gold-banded pearl sleeve button with stone setting. Finder please leave with Isaac Humble at postoffice.

If the young man who took my revolver from the head of my bed will return it he will save himself a great deal of trouble.

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In order to give the people of this city the advantage of the low rates made by the Kansas City and Chicago lines the Santa Fe have reduced the round trip tickets for the Chicago convention to \$20.85. This is one fare for the round trip. The tickets will be on sale at the union depot this morning, by the Santa Fe and 'Frisco FARM LOANS roads. The train leaves by the former road at 7:30 and by the latter at 9:50 a. m. These tickets will be on sale till

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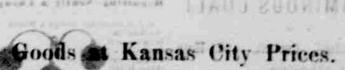
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